

March 21, 2023

Subject: Johnny Cox Memorial Scholarship

To Whom It May Concern:

The family of Johnny Cox would like to award 2 seniors in high school that played six-man football a \$500 scholarship for the upcoming year of 2024-2025. Johnny was a long time referee for the Lubbock area and a member of the South Plains Chapter.

We will be sending the applications out to the schools that are in and around the Lubbock area and some that he refereed for a lot. Please let your seniors know about these scholarships as they will be awarded directly to the student.

Thank you,

March Ann Cox and family

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Johnny Cox Memorial Scholarship

Six-Man Football Seniors

Due date: May 1, 2024

Johnny Cox was a long time (30 + years) six-man football referee. He was a member of the South Plains Chapter most of those years. During his career as a referee, he trained others to call the game, worked many clinics, helped rewrite some of the rules, called numerous play-off games and 8-10 state championship games. He ended his career calling the first six-man championship game played at Cowboy Stadium in 2013. Johnny chose to call six-man football because of its uniqueness. He simply loved the game and especially liked watching the players succeed as young adults after high school. Unfortunately, Johnny passed away in September 2020 from cancer at the age of 63. His family would like to honor him by awarding two seniors who played six-man football a \$500 scholarship each to help continue their education. These will be given directly to the student to be used for books, fees, supplies etc.

Application Data:

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

High School Information:

High School you are attending: _____

Name of Football Coach: _____

Classification: _____ GPA: _____

Years played six man football: _____ Junior High _____ High School

College Plans

College/University you plan to attend: _____

Have you been accepted: _____yes _____no

Intended Major of Field of Study: _____

ESSAY: Please include the answer to the question below in essay format:

- 1. Why did you choose to play six-man football?**
- 2. How has playing six-man football impacted your life and prepared you for the future?**

Submit application and essay to the following email address:

macox@gradyisd.org